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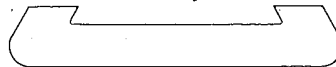
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SHIP CONSTRUCTION
NIKOLAYEV SHIPYARD NOSENKO 444, USSR

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1. (S/D) **SIGNIFICANCE:** CONSTRUCTION OF A NEW LARGE SHIP HAS BEGUN, ON THE BUILDING WAYS USED FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE KIEV-CLASS GUIDED MISSILE V/STOL AIRCRAFT CARRIERS.
2. (S/D) **REMARKS:** TWO SECTIONS OF DOUBLE BOTTOM PLATE FOR A NEW LARGE SHIP ARE ON BUILDING WAY 5 AT NIKOLAYEV SHIPYARD NOSENKO 444. ONE SECTION, WHICH IS NEAR THE HEAD OF THE WAYS, MEASURES [REDACTED] AND HAS TWO OFF-CENTER ELLIPTICAL OPENINGS, WHICH HAVE A CENTER-TO-CENTER DISTANCE [REDACTED] THE OTHER PLATE [REDACTED] AND IS FURTHER DOWN THE WAYS AND OFF THE CENTER OF THE WAYS. AT THIS TIME IT CANNOT BE DETERMINED WHETHER THIS NEW SHIP WILL BE A COMBATANT OR ANOTHER TYPE OF LARGE SHIP. WHILE BUILDING WAY 5 WAS THE CONSTRUCTION SITE OF ALL FOUR KIEV CVHG THE NEW PLATES DO NOT EQUATE TO KIEV CVHG CONSTRUCTION PRACTICE.
3. [REDACTED] **COORDINATES** 46-56-53N 031-58-19E

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